'No Industry Districts' in the country

1883. SHRI NEPALDEV BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of districts, State-wise, which have been identified as 'No Industry Districts' and their names; and

(b) what is the number of industries so far established therein, indicating Statewise details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) 93 districts have been identified as No Industry Districts. Their names are given in Statement I. (*See* below).

(b) The number of Letters of Intent and Industrial Licenses issued to No Industry Districts during the last 3 years are given in Statement-II (*See* below). Normally it takes 3-4 years for a project to fructify. However, the gestation period varies from project to project.

Statement-I

ASSAM	*MADHYA PRADESH*
1. Lakhimpur	1. Balaghat
2. North Cachar Hills	2. Bhind
BIHAR	3. Chhatarpur
	4. Chhindwara
1. Aurangabad	5. Damoh
2. Bhojpur	6. Datia
3. Khagaria	7. Dhar
4. Nalanda	8. Guna
5. Purnea	9. Jhabua
6. Saharsa (including newly carved out district of Madhepur)	10. Mandla
	11. Narsinhapur
GUJARAT	12. Panna
1. Dangs	13. Rajgarh
	14. Seoni
	15. Shivpuri
	16. Sidhi
	17. Surguja
	18. Tikamgarh
HIMACHAL PRADESH	*MANIPUR*
1. Chamba	1. Manipur (Central)
2. Kangra	2. Manipur (East)
3. Kinnaur	3. Manipur (North)

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4. Kulu	4. Manipur (South)
5. Lahaul & Spiti	5. Manipur (West)
	6. Tangnoupal
JAMMU AND KASHMIR	
1. Doda	
2. Kupwara	
3. Ladakh	*MEGHALAYA*
4. Poonch	1. East Garo Hills
5. Pulwama	2. West Garo Hills
6. Rajauri	3. Jaintia Hills
7. Udhampur	4. West Khasi Hills
KARNATAKA	*NAGALAND*
1. Bidar	1. Tuensang
KERALA	*ORISSA*
1. Wynad	1. Balasore
2. Idukki	2. Bolangir
	3. Boudh Khondmals (Phulbani)
MAHARASHTA	
Gadchiroli	
RAJSTHAN	*WEST BENGAL*
1. Jaisalmer	1. Bankura
2. Sirohi	2. Cooch Behar
3. Barmer	3. Darjeeling
4. Churu	4. Jalpaiguri
	5. Malda
SIKKIM	*ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS*
1. Gangtok	1. Nicobar Islands
2. Cyalshing	
3. Mangon	
4. Namchi	
TRIPURA	*ARUNACHAL PRADESH*
1. North Tripura	1. Kameng

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2. South Tripura	2. Siang
3. West Tripura	3. Subansiri
	4. Tirap
UTTAR PRADESH	*LAKSHDWEEP*
1. Banda	1. Lakshdweep
2. Chamoli	
3. Fatehpur	*MIZORAM*
4. Hamirpur	1. Aizwal
5. Jalaun	2. Lunglez
6. Jaunpur	*DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI*
7. Pauri Garhwal	1. Dadra and Nagar Haveli.
8. Sultanpur	
9. Tehri Garhwal	
10. Uttar Kashi	
11. Kanpur Dehat	

TOTAL NUMBER OF "NO-INDUSTRY DISTRICTS'—93.

Statement—II

State/Union Territory	1985		1986		1987	
	LOI	IL	LOI	IL	LOI	LI
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	..	..	..	1	..	..
Arunachal Pradesh	1	5	1	..	..	1
Assam	1	..	2	..	4	1
Bihar	1	2	1	2	1	..
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	5	2	8	1	3	2
Gujarat	1	..	..	..	1	..
Himachal Pradesh	1	..	..	1	1	..
Jammu & Kashmir	1	..	1	..	..	..
Karnataka	8	..	6	2	6	..
Kerala	2	..	1	..	1	..
Lakshdweep	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madhya Pradesh	45	10	33	9	24	3

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Maharashtra	1	..	5	..	..	..
Manipur	1	..	1	..	..	..
Meghalaya	1	..	1	2	1	..
Mizoram	..	..	..	..	1	..
Nagaland	..	..	2	..	1	..
Orissa	11	5	5	1	5	3
Rajasthan	6	1	8	..	3	..
Sikkim	..	..	..	..	..	1
Tripura	1	..	..	..	..	..
Uttar Pradesh	19	5	14	9	9	7
West Bengal	7	2	5	..	8	1
State not indicated more than one State	1	1	..	1	..	..
TOTAL	114	33	94	29	69	19

Crisis in Bharat Heavy Plate and Vessels Limited

1884. SHRI MOSTAFA BIN QUASEM:

SHRI K. MOHANAN:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are taking any measures to save Bharat Heavy Plate and Vessels Limited which is passing through crisis; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI J. VENGAL RAO): (a) and (b) BHPV is facing some problems on account of inadequate and uneven flow of orders, delay in execution of orders and poor liquidity. To improve the position the company is taking various steps such as obtaining system-sales orders instead of supply of individual equipment, extending services to new industries, acquiring technology in new areas. To augment power supply, diesel generating sets are being installed. Government have also set up a holding company, viz., Bharat Yantra Nigam Limited, Allahabad, of which BHPV is a subsidiary. The Holding Company will coordinate the activities of all subsidiaries so as to ensure optimum utilisation of their facilities and resources.

Import of Coir Spinning Machines

1885. SHRI M. A. BABY: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Coir Spinning Machines are likely to be imported in 1988-89; if so, the details thereof;

(b) where these machines are proposed to be set up; and

(c) what will be the production of capacity of these machines and the number of workers who may be displaced due to the introduction of these machines?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNA-